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RESPONSE TO NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 CFR 1.121)

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) dated October 4, 2006. The Amendment of July 21, 2006, was deemed non-compliant because it did not include a complete listing of the claims. Specifically, Applicant inadvertently failed to provide a status identifier to claim 48. As required by the Notice, only the non-compliant portion of the July 21, 2006 (i.e., the "Amendment to the claims" section) is being provided here, in compliant format.

Amendment to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.